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Group Art Unit: 2814 Examiner: Tuan N. Quach

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## FEE TRANSMITTAL

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|   | Gr                                    |   |             |  |                 |      |               | Group A     | croup Art Unit 2814  |                             |   |              |                                  |  |             |  |  |
| TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT \$1,250.00  |                                       |   |             |  |                 |      |               | ,250        | Group Art Unit 2814  Examiner Tuan N. Quach  FEE CALCULATION (continued) |                             |   |              |                                  |  |             |  |  |
|   |                                       |   |             |  |                 |      | <del></del> . |             |  | 1                           |   |              |                                  |  | 70.         |  |  |
| 1. □ Ap   | Applicant claims small entity status. |   |             |  |                 |      |               |             |  |                             | FEE CALCULATION (continued)               |              |                                  |  |             |  |  |
| Charge any <u>UNDERPAYMENT</u> or credit any <u>OVERPAYMENT</u> in the indicated fees to Deposit Account No. 50-1442. |                                       |   |             |  |                 |      |               |             | 3. Al  | 3. ADDITIONAL FEES          |   |              |                                  |  |             |  |  |
| □ Charge the indicated fees to Deposit Account No. 50-1442.   |                                       |   |             |  |                 |      |               |             |  |                             | Large Entity Small Entity Fee Description |              |                                  |  |             |  |  |
| 2. <b>■</b> Ch  | eck enclos                            |   |             | _  |                 | ***  | Fee<br>Code   | Fee<br>(\$) | Fee<br>Code  | Fee<br>(\$)                 |   | Fee Paid     |                                  |  |             |  |  |
| FEE CALCULATION   |                                       |   |             |  |                 |      |               |             |  |                             | 130                                       | 2051         | 65                               | Surcharge-late filing fee or oath                          |             |  |  |
| 1. BASIC FILING FEE   |                                       |   |             |  |                 |      |               |             |  | 1052                        | 50  | 2052         | 25                               | Surcharge-late<br>provisional filing<br>fee or cover sheet |             |  |  |
| Large Entity Small Entity Fee I   |                                       |   |             |  | Fee Description |      |               |             | 1053   | 130                         | 1053                                      | 130          | Non-English specification        |  |             |  |  |
| Fee Fee<br>Code (\$)  | Fee<br>Code                           |   | Fee<br>(\$) |  |                 |      |               |             | Fee Paid   | 1812                        | 2520                                      | 1812         | 2520                             | Ex parte reexam.<br>fee                                    |             |  |  |
| 1001 750  | 2001                                  |   | 375         | Uti  | lity filing f   | ee   |               |             |  | 1251                        | 110                                       | 2251         | 55                               | 1-mo. ext. of time   |             |  |  |
| 1002 330  | 2002                                  |   | 165         | Design filing fee  |                 |      |               |             | 1252   | 410                         | 2252                                      | 205          | 2-mo. ext. of time               |  |             |  |  |
| 1003 520  | 2003                                  |   | 260         | Plant filing fee   |                 |      |               |             | 1253   | 930                         | 2253                                      | 465          | 3-mo. ext. of time               | 93   |             |  |  |
| 1004 750  | 2004                                  |   | 375         | Reissue filing fee                                       |                 |      |               |             | 1254   | 1450                        | 2254                                      | 725          | 4-mo. ext. of time               |  |             |  |  |
| 1005 160 2005 80 Provisional filing fee   |                                       |   |             |  | 1255            | 1970 | 2255          | 985         | 5-mo. ext. of time   |                             |   |              |                                  |  |             |  |  |
|   |                                       |   |             |  | SUBT            | ОТ   | AL (1)        |             | \$0.00   | 1401                        | 320                                       | 2401         | 160                              | Notice of Appeal   | 32          |  |  |
| 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES   |                                       |   |             |  |                 |      |               | 1402        | 320  | 2402                        | 160                                       | Appeal Brief |                                  |  |             |  |  |
| tot. claims - 20* = 0 x \$18 = 0  |                                       |   |             |  |                 | 1403 | 280           | 2403        | 140  | Request for Oral<br>Hearing |   |              |                                  |  |             |  |  |
| ind. claims   |                                       | - | 3*          | =  | 0               | х    | \$84          | =           | (  | ) 1501                      | 1300                                      | 2501         | 650                              | Utility/Reissue<br>Issue Fee                               |             |  |  |
| □ Multiple Dependent Claims \$280 =   |                                       |   |             |  |                 |      | 1502          | 470         | 2502   | 235                         | Design Issue Fee                          |              |                                  |  |             |  |  |
| Large Entity Small Entity Fee Description   |                                       |   |             |  |                 | 1503 | 630           | 2503        | 315  | Plant Issue Fee             |   |              |                                  |  |             |  |  |
| Fee Fee<br>Code (\$)  | Fee<br>Code                           |   | Fee<br>(\$) |  |                 |      |               |             | 1460   | 130                         | 1460                                      | 130          | Petitions to the<br>Commissioner |  |             |  |  |
| 1202 18   | 2202                                  |   | 9           | Claims in excess of 20                                   |                 |      |               |             |  | 1806                        | 180                                       | 1806         | 180                              | IDS Submission   |             |  |  |
| 1201 84   | 2201                                  |   | 42          | Independent claims in excess of 3                        |                 |      |               |             |  | 8021                        | 40  | 8021         | 40                               | Assignment   |             |  |  |
| 1203 280  | 2203                                  |   | 140         | Multiple dependent claim, if not paid                    |                 |      |               |             |  | 1801                        | 750                                       | 2801         | 375                              | For Filing RCE   |             |  |  |
| 1204 84   | 2204                                  |   | 42          | *Reissue independent claims over original patent         |                 |      |               |             |  | 1802                        | 900                                       | 1802         | 900                              | Expedited Design   |             |  |  |
| 1205 18   | 2205                                  |   | 9           | *Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent |                 |      |               |             |  |                             | OTHER (indicate below):                   |              |                                  |  |             |  |  |
|   | •                                     | • |             |  | SUE             | зто  | TAL (2)       |             | \$0.00   | )                           |   |              |                                  |  |             |  |  |
| or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above  |                                       |   |             |  |                 |      |               |             |  |                             |   | SUBTOTAL (3) | \$1,250.0                        |  |             |  |  |
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